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# **Fiscal Note**

**Drafting Number:** LLS 23-0939 **Date:** April 4, 2023 Bill Status: House Education **Prime Sponsors:** Rep. McLachlan; Martinez Fiscal Analyst: John Armstrong | 303-866-6289 john.armstrong@coleg.gov **Bill Topic:** NO REQUIREMENT FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE HIGHER EDUCATION Summary of ☐ State Revenue □ TABOR Refund **Fiscal Impact:** □ Local Government ☐ State Transfer ☐ Statutory Public Entity The bill eliminates the requirement for males between the ages 17 and 26 to register for selective service in order to enroll in a state-supported institution of higher education. The bill minimally impacts workload for higher education institutions. **Appropriation** No appropriation is required. Summary: **Fiscal Note** The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. Status:

### **Summary of Legislation**

The bill repeals the requirement that males between the ages of 17 and 26 register for Selective Service in order to enroll at a state-supported institution of higher education (IHE).

### **State Expenditures**

Currently, IHEs are required to distribute forms to prospective students to verify their registration or exemption from the requirement, and if a student falsifies their registration or exemption, the institution is required to suspend the student. The bill will increase workload in FY 2023-24 in order for institutions to update their procedures, and may decrease workload to collect and verify these forms in FY 2023-24 and ongoing. Changes in workload are assumed to be minimal.

#### **Effective Date**

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

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#### **State and Local Government Contacts**

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